

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA  
BUTTE DIVISION

JONATHAN TALBOT.

Plaintiff,

vs.

MANOAH AINUU, et al,

Defendants.

CV-23-66-BU-BMM

**ORDER**

Plaintiff has moved for an order allowing Nicholas R. Barry, Esq., and Ian Prior, Esq. to appear *pro hac vice* in this case with Matthew G. Monforton, Esq., designated as local counsel. (Docs. 15 and 16.) The applications of Mr. Barry and Mr. Prior appear to be in compliance with L.R. 83.1(d).

**IT IS ORDERED:**

Plaintiff's motions to allow Mr. Barry and Mr. Prior to appear in this Court (Docs. 15 and 16) are GRANTED, subject to the following conditions:

1. Local counsel shall exercise the responsibilities required by L.R. 83.1(d)(5) and must be designated as lead counsel or as co-lead counsel;
2. Only one attorney appearing *pro hac vice* may act as co-lead counsel;

3. Mr. Barry and Mr. Prior must each do their own work. Each must do their own writing, sign their own pleadings, motions, briefs, and, if designated co-lead counsel, must appear and participate personally in all proceedings before the Court;

4. The Applicant Attorney shall take steps to register in the Court's electronic filing system ("CM-ECF"). Further information is available on the Court's website, [www.mtd.uscourts.gov](http://www.mtd.uscourts.gov).

5. Local counsel shall also sign all such pleadings, motions and briefs and other documents served or filed; and

6. Admission is personal to Mr. Barry and Mr. Prior, not the law firm they work for.

7. Local counsel will provide a copy of this order to pro hac counsel.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:**

Each applicant shall file, within fifteen (15) days from the date of this Order, an acknowledgment and acceptance of their admission under the terms set forth above.

DATED this 27<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2023.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brian Morris". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "B" and a long, sweeping underline.

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Brian Morris, Chief District Judge  
United States District Court